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Dear Angus:

Here is a copy of the letter I sent Bill Colby yesterday. I'm sure you have already seen it, or will shortly.

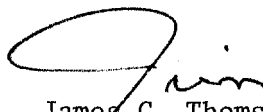
I want you to know of my special gratitude to you for arranging for Bill to meet with the Niemans. I am certain that your urging made all the difference; and I can assure you that all the Fellows and spouses share in my gratitude.

I hope that you too will accept my strong advice to persevere in meeting with such groups and not to take the virtually inevitable inside and outside flak too seriously.

My thanks as well to [ ] not to mention that "spook canoe freak," [ ]  
(I will deal with him separately!)

With warm regards,

Sincerely,

  
James C. Thomson Jr.

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